

Some of the participants of the programme.

42 UMS students experience rural life

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KENINGAU: A total of 42 Universiti Malaysia Sabah (UMS) students were given the opportunity to experience life with the district's interior community during their 'Campus To The Village Programme' recently.

The three-day and two-night community programme conducted in Kg. Tagai was participated by first year students from various fields and were divided into several host families consisting of farming folk in the village.

Apart from networking activities and learning the way villagers lived, participants also carried out cleaning works in the village through gotong royong activities on the second day of the programme.

A spokesman representing the Village Development and Security Committee Chairman, Harry Daniel Gitik told the media that the programme was a good two-way channel between the vil-

lagers and the participants.

"We are very grateful for the presence of this group and also happy that this village has been selected as a destination to conduct such programme.

"There are many things that we can share here and we hope all those involved have sweet memories in this village," he said.

"We also hope the village community will learn something new from the programme," he said.